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Q. What sort of man is Charles Colson, special counsel to President Nixon? Is he really a ruthless so-and-so in charge of the department of dirty tricks?—O.T., Washington, D.C.

A. In a memorandum dated August 28, 1972, which *The Washington Post* published in full, Colson advised his staff, "Just so you understand me, let me point out that the statement in last week's UPI story that I was once reported to have said that 'I would walk over my grandmother if necessary,' is absolutely accurate."